



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 10618.0004-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Alain Rambach *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 1657
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Application No.: 10/528,824) Examiner: Herbert J. Lilling
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Filed: March 23, 2005) Confirmation No.: 6976
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For: METHOD OF DETECTING)
METHICILLIN-RESISTANT)
MICROORGANISMS (As)
Amended))

**Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME


Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of June 13, 2008. A fee payment of \$490.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 28, 2008

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